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Darrell Linden, 82 / June 13, 1912 - June 25, 1995

Harlan - Darrell Vernon Linden, son of Oscar and Edith (McKeighan) Linden was born June 13, 1912 at Naper, NE. Darrell then graduated from Tennant High School. May 28, 1936 he married Velma Kirby at the First United Methodist Church in Harlan. Three sons were born to this union. After their marriage, they farmed in the Shelby, Pottawattamie and Cass County areas. In 1966 they moved to Tennant, and in 1970 moved into their home in Harlan. He retired in 1977. After the death of his wife Nov. 14, 1986, he continued to reside in his own home until recently when he made his home with his son in AZ. He died June 25, 1995 at the Hospice Family Care at Glendale, AZ at age 83 years and 12 days. He was a member of the First Methodist Church in Harlan.

In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by three brothers, David, Dana and Duane Linden. He is survived by his sons, Eric (Charlotte) Linden of Mason City; Arno (Judy) Linden of Phoenix, AZ and Orin (Sandy) Linden of the Philippine Islands; eight grandchildren, four step grandchildren, two great grandchildren and two step great grandchildren; his sisters and brothers, Esther Linden of Tennant; Helen (Edwin) Hirschkorn of Kerman, CA; Dallas Linden of Tennant; Wilma (Howell) McClure of Kingfield, ME; Douglas (Ellen) Linden of Harlan and Dewey (Dorothy) Linden of Elk Horn; 2 sister-in-laws, Dorothy Linden, Harlan and Eileen Linden, Manassas, VA; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were June 30, 1995 at the First Methodist Church in Harlan with Rev. Paul Wilcox officiating. Burial was in the Harlan Cemetery with Keith Bauer, Darrel Mathiasen, Jane Schmidt, Jeff Lansman, Mervin Schnack and Shirley Troll casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.